

## Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

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Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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THURSDAY, DEC. 26, 1907.

### CITY NEWS.

All the college boys and girls are home for the holiday vacation.

Roll Hart and family of Michigan are the guests of relatives in the city.

Capt. Ed. Sigafos and family will be the holiday guests of Judge D. Robeson and wife.

It was a green Christmas and not a very cold one. Hope it was a merry one with all of you.

Mrs. S. M. Bachman and Mrs. Ed. Mong and daughter have returned from a visit at Delphi, Ind.

George A. Jobes has gone to Gainesville, Ga., to spend the holidays with his wife and children, who are there for the winter.

The Township Trustees have appointed Joseph Wade constable of the township, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Ben Studabaker.

Miss Anna Goetz of Chicago and Mrs. Lena Fuller and son William of Richmond, Ind., are the guests of Mrs. Mary Maybrun and daughters during the holidays.

The Zeeck ditch case was tried last week before Probate Judge Robeson and a jury, and the establishing of the ditch by the County Commissioners was sustained.

Mrs. Sarah Ketring, aged 77 years, died of dropsy last Saturday at her home in Palestine. She is survived by two daughters and a son. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon.

Morgan L. Trainor successfully passed the State Bar examination last week and has been admitted to the practice of law, being associated with his father, Martin B. Trainor, the well-known attorney. Success to the new firm.

A civil service examination for position of clerk and carrier for the postoffice in this city will be held on January 11, 1908. For application blank, instructions to applicants, and further information application should be made to J. N. Perry, at the Greenville postoffice.

Wm. Koester, son of John H. Koester of this city, died of consumption at El Paso, Texas, on Wednesday evening of last week, where he had gone in the hope of being benefitted. The remains were interred Monday morning in Calvary cemetery, Dayton, Ohio, after services in Emanuel church, that city.

Clerk-elect Arthur Westfall, deceased, having qualified, thus creates another vacancy that the Trustees of this township will be called upon to fill, making three this month and all within a very few days. The other two vacancies were caused by the death of Squire Brandon and Constable Studabaker.

Postmaster Halley has named Roy Mong, son of John Mong, the poultry dealer, as his deputy to succeed Miss Gertrude Ditman, who retires January 1, after a continuous service of nearly twenty years as clerk and deputy in the Greenville postoffice, having been a most efficient and attentive public servant.

Charlotte Westfall, aged about 18 years, daughter of ex-Councilman Elias Westfall and wife, died Tuesday noon at her parents' home near Gettysburg of typhoid lagrippe. She was a graduate of last class of our High School and a most charming and bright young lady whose death is sadly mourned by her many friends.

The Journal's roll of honor for the past week consists of the following named patrons:

Mrs. Ira Poppaw,  
F. O. Hawkey,  
L. S. Clapp,  
F. M. Shuff,  
Virgil Ware,  
Noah Grim,  
S. Grovener,  
M. M. Stump,  
J. F. Martin.

Don't you want to see your name printed here?

Arthur R. Westfall, Clerk-elect of this township, died last Sunday evening at his home near the Children's Home, of tubercular hip disease and Bright's disease. He was operated on about three weeks ago for the tubercular trouble and was thought to be getting along all right, but another operation was found necessary, which was performed Sunday, but from which he did not rally. He was aged about 30 years and leaves a young wife and many relatives and friends to mourn his early demise.

Carey Goslee of this city, who moved here with his family from up near North Star about a year ago and engaged in picture selling and horse buying, is missing since last Friday, together with one of Curtis & Son's best rigs, which he hired that morning, saying he wanted to drive to North Star to visit relatives and would be back that night, but he or the rig never showed up and inquiry among his relatives developed the fact that he had not been there recently. Then the officers got busy, but have been unable to locate either him or the rig. He has a wife and two children, whom he has abandoned in this city and Mrs. Goslee says she knows of no reason why he should thus desert them and that he gave no intimation of leaving them.

### Remarkable Rescue.

That truth is stranger than fiction, has once more been demonstrated in the little town of Fedora, Tenn., the residence of C. V. Pepper. He writes: "I was in bed, entirely disabled with hemorrhages of the lungs and throat. Doctors failed to help me, and all hope had fled when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery. Then instant relief came. The coughing soon ceased; the bleeding diminished rapidly, and in three weeks I was able to go to work." Guaranteed cure for coughs and colds. 50c. and \$1.00, at Wm. Kipp's Sons' drug store. Trial bottle free.

The Journal and The American Boy both one year for only \$1.65.

### Gettysburg.

Z. T. Myers is touring in the southwest for a couple of weeks. It is not probable that he will reach the Panama canal in his rounds.

Mrs. Eliza Clark, relict of Z. V. Clark, passed from earthly scenes last Friday; funeral services today from her late residence, interment at cemetery at this place, Rev. M. May officiating. She was an invalid for many years, and left surviving her two sons and four daughters, and a goodly number of grandchildren, of whom all were present, save one, to attend the last sad rites.

Our undertaker had three funerals on his hands at once within the last few days, but we must not infer from this fact that people are dying faster than usual. We have long intervals without death, when a recurrence will come in a group of persons, as has just happened. Mrs. Elizabeth Fox, an aged lady, is among the number, dying at Horatio, at the home of her sister, Mrs. D. Lindemuth. Interment tomorrow at Covington.

P. B. Moul and family were guests of P. B. Miller and wife yesterday.

Has the electric light prospect gone glimmering? Have heard nothing said about the venture for some time and have about concluded that fizzle is the real orthography of the matter.

At a meeting of the F. & A. M. lodge last week the following named persons were elected officers for the ensuing year: C. L. Dershem, W. M.; Arthur Zimmerman, S. W.; J. M. Moul, J. W.; C. E. Brown, Sec'y; F. M. Vanlue, Treas.; C. E. Stoltz, S. D.; S. A. Myers, J. D.; P. R. Cromer, Tiler; P. B. Moul and Rudy Etter, Stewards. Installation at next regular meeting.

On December 16th Hampton Roads was the scene of an unusual pageant. Sixteen first-class huge battleships, constituting the larger part of our navy, under the command of Rear Admiral Evans, were maneuvered and put in readiness for a cruise over a large part of the waters of the world, passing through the Atlantic, around Cape Horn, and through the waters of the Pacific ocean. This demonstration, it is said, is no idle venture, but in the interest of peace, and a test of the efficiency and endurance of our battleships for an emergency of war; and while there is no actual war, the duties to be performed will doubtless resemble war to a great extent. The skill of the mariner and sailors will be tested in managing the vessels and armaments, and thus prepare them to meet a foe in battle. A suspicion is rife among some persons that the demonstration is something more than a peaceful reconnoiter, but if so it is somewhat difficult to discover the nation challenged thereby.

At any rate, it is probable that it will prove a peace movement. The prowess and grandeur of our ships may so awe other nations that great care will be exercised in committing any aggressions upon our rights. It is said this fleet has within it every element of war except the paint. If needs be that can easily be added. But great care should be exercised on our part not to be reckless and needlessly violate other's rights. We ought to be as careful of other's rights as we are jealous of our own to maintain them. Our President, in his review of the fleet, became so impressed with the magnitude and power of it as to remark, "I am very proud of this fleet," and in so saying he fully voiced the feelings of his constituency, the people of this nation. We are all proud of our navy, as well as of our country. That day marks an epoch in the history of our navy as well as of our nation. It will be the beginning of an era in our history. From that day our nation's importance will be greater, and from them greater things will be expected. A greater future than

ever is before us, and that we will, as a nation, measure up to the higher standard there can be no doubt.

The sending of mail on first train going east has been discontinued since the 16th, with delivery as heretofore.

D. H. Moul and wife and Miss Lizzie Moul of Ironton are taking a Christmas vacation with their parents, D. Moul's.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Hoffman of Fremont are here for a few days.

John Cromer of Logansport, Ind., is among the visitors here. Dec. 23. XOB

Lost or Stolen.—Note given May 9, 1907, by H. H. Bireley and Hannah H. Bireley to Perry Eek in the sum of \$1100, due March 1, 1908, and all persons are hereby warned not to purchase said note. 24w4\*

Franklin Township High School Literary, Dec. 20.

Song by entire school.

Address, "Two letters, H and S, Honesty and Sobriety," by Harry C. Royer. He pictured vividly that noble, honest, sober life, by which it is far easier to grasp our opportunities. Honesty does not only consist of paying our pecuniary debts. There are many phases of honesty that are shamefully neglected. The tongue has been called an unruly member; however, our organs do not act unless impelled to do so by the brain, so we are responsible for all we say, as well as all we do. We are responsible for that story, only a little spark at first, but we helped to magnify it, we helped to spread it, and now it is a raging flame, unable to be quenched and a poor and blameless life is being enwrapped in the flames which started from some one's unkind lips—a little spark, an untrue statement. The time calls for honest men, for our world is full of temptations lurking in every place we may go; and more often temptations overcome men than men overcome temptations. Obey that little guide, conscience, that you house within your bosom; it will guide you into the right if you heed its biddings; but unheeded, its edge becomes blunted and it refuses to act as a true governor of your deeds. Successfully follow these two virtues and you will certainly become the greatest of great heroes.

Debate—"Resolved, that the Indians have received greater wrong from the American government than the Negroes." Affirmative, Supt. McCool and Orval Riffel; negative, Prin. Crowell. The decisions of the judges; three read—Aff., Aff. and Neg. Biography of our loved poet, James G. Whittier, the one hundredth anniversary of whose birth was celebrated December 17, by Mildred Cassel.

Pathetic Christmas Recitation, "The Little Match Girl," Veri Brown. Instrumental Duett by Supt. McCool and Roy Honeyman. Humorous Recitation, "Sam's Letter," L. Herbert Kreider. Select Reading, "Corn," Lloyd Eshelman. Christmas Anthem by Lorena Bowman, Mary Miller, Elizabeth Neff and Ethel Riffel. Essay, "Sunshine," by Altha Kreider. Recitation, "The Chambered Nautilus," Ward Stoltz. Editorial Paper, edited by Estella Rhoades, Carl Wright, Lloyd Eshelman and Beulah Minnich. Critic's Report, Roy Honeyman. Farewell song to the old school house by entire school.

Our next literary meeting will be held in the new High School building. Everybody is invited to attend these literaries. COR. SECRETARY. Universalist Church, Sunday, December 29.

Rev. Leon P. Jones will preach at 10:30 a.m. on "Behold I make all things new," and at 7 p.m. on "The Public Conscience." Sunday-school, 9:15 a.m. Everyone welcome.

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### THE SPORTING WORLD

King, Chicago National Catcher. The leading catcher of the 1907 baseball season was Johnny King, the sure throwing backstop of the Chicago Nationals. King, in addition to catching in the important games of the pennant race that resulted in victory for the Cubs, was also the mainstay of the team behind the bat in the recent world's championship series with the Detroit Americans.

King is one of the quietest players in the game. He is a good balance on that account for such terrors and un-



ple batters as Jimmy Sheekard, Harry Steinfield and Captain Chance himself. Because of his retiring disposition King is one of the most popular men in the game today. In winter he runs a billiard academy in Kansas City, where he makes as much money as he does on the diamond. As a matter of fact, King is tired of baseball, and he wants to break away from the game. He would do so if the financial returns were not very high.

Football in China. "The first game of football I witnessed upon my arrival in China," one of our consular representatives at home for a visit remarked recently. "I mistook for a very serious riot, and you wouldn't have blamed me either. In the first place, I was not aware that the Chinese had any such game, but later found that it is very popular in north China. It is not played as is the American game, and instead of eleven players to the side there are fifty. These northern Chinese are almost giants, and every man on the team will be six feet or over in height and weigh on the average 200 pounds. There are no goals, side lines or halves. The game lasts until one side is the winner, and frequently this is not accomplished before two or three days. The idea of the game is to force a small wicker basket, which takes the place of our ball, into the territory of the other side, this territory being one-half of the town, and up and down the streets the fight rages. Each man is equipped with a whistle with which to summon assistance when too hard pressed. "Stealth as well as main force may be used in getting the 'ball' into the enemy's country, and I know of one clever player who did so by passing over the roofs of the houses. As you may imagine, 100 giants yelling and fighting in the streets create some excitement."

Baseball Bitters Bitten. One of the funniest happenings of the year took place in Chicago recently. Chicago was the only place where it could have been pulled off. Just before the final game of the series between the Sox and the Detroit Tigers a regular funeral ceremony was put on. Handed by a band playing a funeral march a crowd of White Sox rooters bore a papier mache tiger, much battle scarred, to the pennant pole, where it was buried with the usual ceremonies. Then the rooters left the field to the tune of "A Hot Time." At this stage of the game Cobb and several other Detroit players turned the laugh on the rooters by securing the tiger and starting him up the pennant pole. Then, just to show how dead the Tigers were, Detroit proceeded to make nine runs and handed the White Sox an awful trimming.

Football Crowds. Football crowds promise to be larger this year than ever before. The total attendance at football games in 1906 was over 1,000,000 greater than it was in 1905, and the attendance in 1906 was the largest in the history of the sport up to that time. The two largest crowds of the season were those who saw the game between Yale and Harvard and that between Yale and Princeton. From a purely academic point the least satisfying game of the year was that between Yale and Princeton, which resulted in a tie. Both eleven played brilliant football, but Yale proved more resourceful against the Tigers than had been deemed possible by those who had witnessed the preliminary work of the Ellis.

A Wet Block. Two pool halls, one grocery store, one dry goods store and one furnishing goods store—the other twenty-three places saloons. Three more across Bell street. That's the business inventory of the wettest block in Kansas City. It's on Ninth street, between Bell street and the state line, and the numbers only run from 1700 to 1724. It's a short block, and to supply the demands three other saloons are just across Bell street in the next block. In order to squeeze in the twenty-three dram shops one building at the corner of Ninth and Bell streets is occupied by two places. The buildings for the most part are narrow "shacks." A few are two story buildings, with rooms for lodgers above the saloons. — Kansas City Times.

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### Notice to Stockholders.

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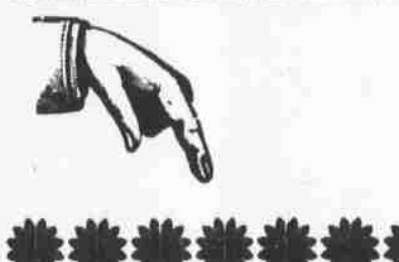
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To the Stockholders of the Farmers' National Bank. NOTICE is hereby given that an election of Directors of the Farmers' National Bank will be held on Tuesday, January 14, 1908, at its banking house in Greenville, Ohio, 1220 W. SIGAFOOS, Cashier. Dec. 12, 1907-11

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